## STAUNTON CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN

Worshipping Christ with Joy, Living Together in Peace, and Serving the World with Love.

11:00 A.M. July 21, 2024

**Gathering Music** 

**Prelude** Humble Thyself in the Sight of the Lord

Bob Hudson; arr. Mark Hayes

Welcome and Life of the Church

\*Call to Worship Homiletics Online

One: From the beauty and warmth of summertime, come

gather here on this Sabbath day.

All: We come for rest and renewal.

One: From the wonders and joys of summertime living, come

gather here as the people of God.

All: We come for inspiration and love.

One: From the fun of summertime vacations, come gather here

to celebrate new life in Jesus Christ.

All: We come to encounter the holy and to live out our

ministry day after day.

\*Prayer

\*Singing All Creatures of Our God and King HWB 48

(vs. 1-3, 7)

Children's Story Chris Washington

**Special Music** Bless The Lord Oh My Soul

Martha Gangwer and David MacMillan, soloists

**Scripture Reading** Ephesians 1:15-23 Ephesians 3:14-21

**Sermon** Grounded in Gratitude and Love

\*Singing Help Us to Help Each Other HWB 362

Sharing and Prayer

Offertory Praise! Gilbert Martin

\*Singing Joyful, Joyful, We Adore Thee HWB 71

\*Benediction

\*Postlude Praise to the Lord, the Almighty Lani Smith

CONTINUING THE WORK OF JESUS PEACEFULLY, SIMPLY, TOGETHER

Ministers: All God's People

**Director of Music**: David MacMillan

**Organist**: Gaylon Hevener

Worship Leader: Claude Simmons

Ushers: Mark and Chandra Lane, Nathaniel Lane, Butch and

Donna Wells

Nursery Workers: Hannah Simmons, Lavonne Fitzgerald, and

Nancy Bowman

Caregiving Team Members: Bruce Bowman, Bryan and Ferral

Quick, Gail Gregory, Marilyn Garber, Pat Phillips, Ernie and

Debbie Landes, and John Wampler

August ushers: Chris and Carrie Washington, Chason Roberts

Please Keep In Your Prayers

Pray for Delmer Botkin, Melba Cline, Judy Cook, Carrie Finch-Smith, Nancy Gehr, Bill Hain, Charlotte Kennedy, Mark Lane, Phyllis Lunsford, Alice Patler, Ferral Quick, A.J. Sandridge, Jr., Mary Seay, Norma Shoemaker, Cleo Simmons, George Sullivan, Doris Wampler, Chris Washington, Bob Weiss, Sue Whisman, Fred Wilkerson, Jr., and Fred Wilkerson, Sr.

\*Please contact the church office or the Pastor if you would like to add someone to the prayer list or to remove a name.

## **Our Church This Week**

Thursday: 9:30 a.m. - TOPS

Friday & Saturday: The Meating Place Fundraiser

## Attendances and Offerings, July 14, 2024

Sunday School – 40 Worship – 84

Needed Monthly: \$30,151.27
Offering Received to date for the month of July: \$11,927.00

Offering for July 14: \$5,644.00 Valley Mission: \$125.00